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CHANTREY INCHBALD Manager. Hongkong, 10th April, 1803.

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Hongkong, 24th May, 1893.

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Mangkong, 17th December, TRRE. NOTICE.

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CHAU TSEUNG FAT. Secretary, HRAD OFFICE. No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

Hongiong, 1st Reptember, 1892.

Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

MR. SASSOON" CUP and SPOONS will be Shot for TO-MORROW, the 4th November.-Ranges, 200 and 300 yards. Time, 3 P.M.

A. MANN, Assist. Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 30th October, 1893. HONGKONG SMOKING CONCERT CLUB NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

THE FIRST CONCERT of the SEASON WILL be held in the THEATRE ROYAL TO-MORROW, the 4th November, at 9.15 P.M.-A. | to a comfortable temperature during winter. J. LEACH, Esq., Q.C., in the Chair. MEMBERS are requested to have their Names written on their Tickets for presentation at the

VI Itors Tickets may be had subject to the regulations from any of the Committee. JAMES A. LOWSON,

Hon. Sec. Hongkong, 2nd November, 1803. VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

THIS CLUB intends holding the ANNUAL REGATTA on THURSDAY and FRI-DAY, 14th and 15th December. Crews for the CHAIRMAN'S CHALLENGE CUP will be picked on MONDAY, the 6th November, at 6 P.M. E. D. SANDERS.

Hon. Sec. Hongkong, 2nd November, 1803-

NOTICE. URING my temporary absence from the Colony, Mr. WILLIAM PENDER MACLEAN, who holds my Power of Attorney, will conduct the business of The Hongkong

Telegraph. R. FRASER-SMITH, Editor and Proprietor. Hongkong, 24th October, 1893.

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Hongkong, and November, 1803.

HONGKONG HOTEL

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin "-A, B. C. Code,-TELEPHONE, No. 32,

PROPRIETORS THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East, affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping

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Hongkong, 12th February, 1802.

R. TUCKER Manager.

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Acting Manager. Hongkong, 1st November, 1893. CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

LIMITED. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1892.

CHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to send in to this Office a LIST of their CONTRIBUTIONS of PREMIA for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the proportion of PROFIT for that year to be PAID as BONUS to CONTRIBUTORS may be arranged. Returns not sent in before the 30th instant will be made up by the Company, and no subsequent Claims or Alterations will be allowed. By Order of the Directors,

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary. Hongkong, 1st November, 1803

HONGKONG HOTEL.

ON and after the 1st December next, NO CHITS

will be accepted or credit given in the above

By Order of the Board, R. TUCKER, Manager. Hongkong, 20th October, 1803. [1136

NOTICE.

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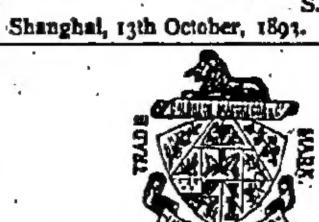
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DORABJEE NOWROJEE, Proptletor. Hongkong, 26th October, 1893.

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THE Company's Steamship "ESMERALDA," Captain G. A. Tavier, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 4th instant, at

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General Managers. Hongkong, 1st November, 1203. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY.

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Captain G. Contanzo, will be despatched as shove on 'MONDAY, the 6th November, at Cargo will not be received on board after 3 P.M. prior to date of sailing.

Freight, apply to C. ZANELLA, Hongkong, 30th October, 1803,

· For further information as to Passage and

"GIBB" LINE OF CHINA AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMERS. SYDNEY AND MFLBOURNE. (Taking through Cargo for TARMANIA and NEW

ZEALAND, &C.)

"TARTAR." Captain Bailey, will be desnatched for the above Ports on or about SATURDAY, the 18th instant. at Noon. For Freight or Passage apply to

HE Steamship

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, and November, 1804. "SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS. Steamship "TROCAS." Steamship "SPONDILUS." Steamship "ELAX." Steamship "VOLUTE." Steamship "MUREX." Steamship "TURBO." Steamship "CONCH."

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HE Next Sallings will be :-FOR HAVRE AND LONDON, S. S. "CLAM," via SINGAPORE on or about 27th November. FOR HAMBURG AND LONDON,

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N.B .- The Steamers of this Line will be despatched monthly from Hongkong, and offer exceptional advantages to Shippers of perishable cargo, owing to an improved method of ventilation. Copies of reports on out-turn of cargoes may be had on application to the Agents. Hongkong, and November, 1803.

Agents.

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SAILING VESSELS.

FOR NEW YORK. HE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship "JOHN R. KELLY,"

Hongkong, 14th September, 1801.

Hongkong, and November, 1802.

Chapman, Master, will load here for the above For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "VICTORIA," FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to

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DODWELL, CARLILL & Co. . Hongkong, and November, 1803. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM NEW YORK AND SINGAPORE THE Steamship "STRATHESK."

The above Steamer having arrived, Consignoes

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and expense. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hangkeng, asth October, 1893.

Antimations.

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VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.

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LIQUEUR WHISKY (SQUARE BOTTLE). "Y HIS is one of the finest Whickies ever imported into China. With Aerated Water, or Hot Water and Sugar, it is simply delicious.-\$13 per case.

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LOCHABER-A Mellow Old Scotch Whisky with fine flavour,-\$9 per dosen. GLENMURRIE-A Pute Malt Whisky. Excellent value for the money .- \$7 per

OLD TOM-A very fine Sweetened Gin, Bottled expressly for us .- \$5 per dozen. KEY BRAND-In small White Glass Bottles. The very finest procurable .- \$8 per dozen.

CHARTREUSE, CURACOA, D.O.M., &c.

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MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1893.

TELEGRAMS.

FIGHTING IN MASHONALAND.

LONDON, November 1st. The Matabeles have been defeated in several engagements; they are quite broken and have lost half their "Imbizo" regiment. Lobengula Forbes. The British columns have occupied subject to the control and approval of the Secretary of State.

The House of Representatives at Washington having passed the Repeal Bill, that was adopted by the Senate, by one hundred and ninety-one His collar, epaulets, belt, cuffe, and the handle refre hingly cool and healthful. It would seem Rose, Mr. J. E. Otto, Mr. Irlah. wotes to rinety-four. President Cleveland signed the measure forthwith. The Bill differs from that passed in the House of Representatives died horses, a splendid palace opposite Singa, Jasmin, White Rose, &c., is perhaps not altodnasmach as it commits the Government to bimetallism whenever that policy is feasible.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

DAWSON'S Whisky.

THE appointment of Mr. A. P. Bennett as British Vice-consul at Manila is announced.

AT this great financial crisis she is a very lucky summer girl who is able to send a young man

DRINK Dawson's Whisky before meals as an appetiser; after meals as a digestive.

THE troopship Himalaya leaves home on or about the first proxima with drafts for Ceylon,

THE "Heung Sing" Steamboat Co.'s steamer Propontis left Semarang yesterday afternoon for this port, and is due on or about the 11th lust.

SLYKYNS-I hate to walk with a girl who holds | SAMMY-I awaked Sharpley, to-day, why my her dress un blob. Flykyns-So you're modest, ch? Slykyns-It isn't that. You see, the fellow | what did he say? Sammy-Sald he guessed it behind has all the best of it.

H.M.S. Egeria was expected to arrive in Singapore on the 28th ultimo. Having completed the that she will forthwith return to England.

On her last voyage from Hongkong and when 38 near Singapore the steamer Dautares picked up seven fishermen whose craft had been capsized in a squall off Roumania Point on the 26th inst.

525, will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, on Thursday, the 9th instant, at 8 30 for o p.m. precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially

WE learn that the Spanish Government, acting upon the recommendation of Commander P. Or iz de Zugasti, Spanish Consul at this port, the solving of the Silver problem to any serious has conferred the order of La Cruz de Caballera | extent. de la Reul Orden de Izabel la Catolica, upon Mr. Moreira de Sá, formerly commander of the Portuguese gun-boat Bengo.

IT is reported that considerable excitement recently prevailed at Victoria, British Columbia, over the discovery of a rich gold quartz district on the west coast of the Island, and a Government mineralogist, after visiting the place, reports the existence of veins varying from 4ft, to 6ft, in thickness, the assays showing the value to range from \$100 to \$2,000 per ton.

THE Singapore Free Press of the 26th ult. says: " It is not definitely known whether there is any substantial foundation for the romone that a Highland regiment from India will succeed the Lincolnshires here. At any rate nothing further hes been heard by way of confirmation. It is believed in some quarters that the 1st Shropshire Regiment from Hongkong will be the next infantry buttalion in the Straits garrison."

THE Band of the 1st Shropshire Light Infantry will play the following programme at the Barrack Square, this evening, commencing at 7.30

O'Clock :-			
Polka	Black and Tan"	Lowthian.	
Quadrille	London Life"	Coota.	
Vales	Sweet Reise	Lomebles	
Schottische,"	Happy Darkies	A. E. Godfrey	
LANCETT.	Incomitation of Mo	C55 " Utto Roader.	
Yalta	Venetian Song"		,
Quadrule,	Auf der Moldan	Knobloch.	

THERE is a stalwart Sikh in the "Foorce" who seems to have a mistaken notion of the purpose for which the regulation rifle is intended, and that an unlimited application of it-wielded in Donnybrook Fair shillslah style, is a fit mode of stopping a run-away Celestial. At least such an incident occurred last night whereby an alleged ear-ring snatcher received such injuries that he had to be conveyed to the Government Civil Hospital for medical treatment. The case is reported to be a rather serious one.

THE N. D L. mail steamer Lubeck sailed from Singapore for German New Guinea on the 26th ultimo taking 100 Chinese coolies under engagement to work on the tobacco estates there. Captains Cotton and Webster, who intend exploring the interior of the country, were also passengers. The Singapore Free Press states that 7¢ additional coolies (Javanese) were by boiling obnoxious matter in First, Second. to be shipped at Batavia, so evidently the and Third Streets, West Point. A previous constrongest efforts are being made to develop this somewhat peculiarly acquired Teutonic posses-

THERE are several sumours affoat wi h more or less of truth in them regarding Mr. Edison's latest doings. According to a recent exchange, he is really bending the whole of his inventive ficulty on the new ore-reducing process which is expected to make his name more famous in the metallurgical world even than Bessemer's. The latest idea which the great inventor is said to be perfecting, is reducing the friction of water against a moving vessel by producing hydrogen by electricity and distributing the same along the sides of the ship. Another idea is to force cil from the joints of the u der waterline plates of a versel, so that she slips through the water with increased speed.

In the Supreme Court this morning, Mr. Justice Ackroyd, sitting in Summary Jurisdiction, had occasion to make a few appropriate remarks as to the discreditable practice followed by some local lawyers, of " rushing" unsuccessful litigants for costs. His lordship said his attention had been called to the custom of getting costs t xed in haste, and then sending a letter to the other solicitor or his client, threatening imprisonment if the amount were not paid at once. It was a highly objectionable practice, and could not be too strongly reprobated. Of course. in a few cases the parties might really wish to avoid payment; but the "screw" was put on often where they really intended to pay, but were not allowed any time. Sometimes it appeared to be a matter of personal spite among the solicitors, and his lordship was resolved to

do all in his power to stop it. is in full retreat pursued by Majors Adams and THIS is the Arabian Nights-like sketch that an American paper publishes of his Highness of Zroo,000 a year from private property in Sloga- | useful adjunct to the treatment of pulmonary | and Mrs. Allen. own satisfaction by laying heavy taxes on its those of Professor Tyndall, carried out with November and, from Brindist, November 12th, decorated the other officers, use, which its votaties cheerfully pay, and thus various perfemes, it would oppose that the extract | -To Yokohama; Colonel W. Peck. THE REPEAL OF THE SHERMAN ACT. keep ble ctff.rs full. The rest of his revenue, of white flowers are more effectual than any other. comes from taxation of spirits and gambling. When such are freely sprayed about a room the Nevember 10th .- To Shanghai; Rev. H. C. When in his robes, and grown he wears bill in temperature becomes quite marked, and sad Mrs. Hodges. To Hoegkong ! Mrs. Thomas diamo de worth a couple of millions sterling, it e heated and vitisted stmosphere is readered Jackson, two daughters and three children, Mr. and scabbard of his sword, blase with diamonds | then that the popular fancy for performes of white. and precious stones. He has a studof two hun- fiswers, such as Lily of the Valley, While Lilac.

DAWSON'S Parfection Old Scotch Whisky.

THE Siys, a French gunbout of 1,800 tons, carrying 4 guns and 130 men is now an route to the east.

THE moon has no water, astronomers tell us, so there is some excuse for its getting full regularly ever month.

M. MYRE DE VILERS, the French Minister, now in the colony and is staying in the Hongkong Hotel

THE Free Press states that the Leander will not relieve the Pallas, as the senior naval officer's ship, at Singapore, till the end of December or the beginning of January,

MR. CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager of the Bank of China, Japan and the Straits Ltd., returned to Hongkong in the French mail last evening, after a well-carned holiday in Europe.

dancing shoes were called pumps. Johnnie-Aw, was because they generally had suckers in them.

THE two Chinamen who were recently torsed skywards by an infuriated bull over at Yaumati, are survey of the Anambas Islands it is reported rapidly recovering from their injuries and will shortly be discharged from the Civil Hospital, whither they were taken for treatment by the

JONES-If Mr. Oldboy makes any such assertion I will denounce him as a list. President-Mr. Jones, I call you to order. Our by-laws do not allow you to go that far. Jones-Then I call An Emergency meeting of Zetland Lodge, No. Mr. Oldboy a liarjas far as it is permitted by the by-laws of this association.

> IT is announced from London that Mr. Exchiel Abraham Solomon, late of the colony of Hongkong, but now of 12, Leadenhall-street, has now assumed the name of Ernest Sandeman. It is not-generally thought that this fact will affect

THE four-maried ship Somall which has hitherio been dogged by the worst of luck, was towed out to sea to-day after having been thoroughly overhauled and repaired in dock here. She is bound for San Francisco and it is to be hoped that her lines will in future be cast in smoother seas than those of the East have been.

THE Straits Times reports, that on the night of the 24th ulto, as a constable was, taking, on shore in Penang harbour two Armenlans and a Eurasian, who were alleged to have given trouble on board the Lady Weld, the sampan conveying them capsized and the Eurasian was drowned. The deceased was a native of Calcutts, and was employed to the Perak Railway.

WE read that the Vaticen has despatched to the Powers a Note strongly protesting against the fact that the Freemarons have taken the first floor of the Horgbese Palace and there established a Grand Lodge. This is declared to be a direct insult to the Vatican, the Palace having formerly belonged to the Pope. It adds that this act has been sided and abetted by the Italion Govern-

ZOLA's latest ambition is to become a member of the French Chamber of Deputies, The novelist says that for twenty years past his minute researches into every class and phase of society, from high to low, have provided him with a stock of knowledge about the cylla and mysteries of social life of such a nature as to make him an experienced physician in the application of legislative remedies. Zola should come East.

THE steamer Cromarty, Capt. W. S. Duncan, small community. which arrived here the day before yesterday from Java, seems to have had a particularly unfortunate voyage. On the way up the third engineer, a young fellow of about 24 years of age, succumbed to a violent attack of fever and was buried at sea, while the chief officer and two of the quarter-masters received such injuries as to necessitate medical treatment. The chief officer's leg was so badly damaged that he had to be removed to the hospital this morning.

AT the Magistracy this morning before Comme, Hastings, three Chinese were charged, at the instance of Inspector Cleribew, of the Sanitary Board, with having committed a public nuisance vio ion was recorded against the first defendant and he was fixed \$20, the other two \$10 each. A point in the case was that it was shown the defendants had applied to the Government for permission to carry on their business but no reply had yet been received.

THE following is an announcement which appeared under the heading of "Last night's triple event" in the Straits Times of the 28th ultimo :- "The wife of (a resident) last night gave bith to three children—two boys and a girl. This is the second instance of such an occarrence in Singspore. On the first occasion, Mr. O'Connor, the then senior Magistrate of Police, recommended the matter to the police of the Governor and the happy mother, a Malay, recelved a bonus of 15 dollars." Is our friend-Arnot of the Times cultivating the face lone, we wonder, or is it a well-intended effort en bis sart which bonuses and premiting may be earned?.

pleasing sensation to the olfsctory organs and Clars James, Mrs. Best, Mr. E. Andrus. having no further useful ap lication. Mithing could be wider of the mark. Apart from their Oct. 14, from Margeilles,-To Yekohama; employment as agreeable additions to the Col. and Mrs. Dowden. From Gibraltar. To toiler, they are quite as valuable in prevent- Yokohams, via Bombay : Mr. D. O. Karle, Mr. ing disease as are many of the common S. C. Davis. and less pleasant disinfectants which it is customary to use. This prophylactic scrion is due | Oct. 26 -To Yok-hama, via India : Miss Carto the fact that the essential oils which coustle sick, Misses Thomson.

Doctors agree that Whisky-is the best drink for this climate and Dawson's is the best Whisky.

A CHINAMAN was run over by a trap this aftersoon in Queen's Road East and was so badly hust as to necessitate his removal to the Government C.vil Hospital.

By an advertisement which appears in another column it will be seen that Professor Sers has returned to the colony after having done splendid business with his phorograph in Salgon and the Straits. The genial Professor notifies that "hisstay will be a short one here so we recommend all who have not yet witnessed the wonders that Edison's masterplece unfolds to take advantage of the opportunity and call upon Professor Sers at his rooms in the Victoria Hotel.

THAT good old 'chestnut' anont the historical Aberdeen Jew must now be blotted out for good and all : vide the following para, written by the local correspondent of a London paper :- The Rev. Mr. Littman, pastor of the Jewish Synagogue in Aberdeen, has been summoned to appear at the Police-court on the charge of cruelty to animals, the charge being that the reverend gentleman while slaughtering a bullock for the use of Hebrews in that city, cruelly ill-treated and tortured the animal by cut ting its throat in an unskilled manner, causing it great and unnecessary pain before it died. Dr. Alder, the Chief Rabbl, has written saying that he feels confident that in Scotland, where the Hebrew Scriptures are so deeply venerated, nothing will be done to prevent his co-religionists m obeying the dictates of their religion, and preparing their food in accordance with Mosaic law. He adds that the system is common in London, and has not been objected to.

NORTH FORMOSA.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Tamaul, October 26th. Just a few lines, to give you what little there is in the shape of news from this out-of-the-way COTTICE.

employed in the fort near the Custom House, as cooks, I believe, were accused of stealing a pricats. quantity of gunpowder and percussion caps, and selling to Chinese outside. A third party, a small storekeeper, was also arrested as the receiver of stolen property. The two former were immediately executed, and the third man would also have been "despatched," but his fellow-tradesmen in the neighbourhood got up a petition, and obtained his pardon. The whole affair only occupied 48 hours.

Messrs. Malcampo & Co., of Amoy, are building a launch here, or rather n Twaturis, to run in opposition to the three now on the line. She will be ready in about six weeks, and it is said there is another one to follow. Mr. Tan Ab Scon's big launch is still sunning, but I doubt whether it pays him.

I hear that some of our enterprising fellow residents are going to build a Sanatorium at the the protest of Sir Andrew Clarke, the Victorian out for the dwelling house, there will be several bed-rooms and a good sized dining-room. It is expected to pay expenses by making a small monthly charge for all resident members, and that visitors to the pert will be able to enjoy the

Amoy line and of late has been getting very the flagable on the Australian squadron. At the weigh the Jedge's observations carefully Fregood cargoes of tex; in fact for three or four trips she had full cargoes, as there were none of the Douglas' steamers in port with her.

We are soon going to lose the British consul and his family, who leave here for Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Ayrton will be much missed by our

PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR THE FAR EAST.

Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Salarie, from Marsellies, Oct. 15 .- To Yokohama : Mr. and Mis. Courant, Mr. Adam. To Shanghai! Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnston and child, Mrs. Douglas Jones and 2 children, Capt. Gyles, Mr. Ange. To Hongkong : Mr. L. Kennard Davis, Mr. C. C. Malsch.

Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Yarra. from Marseilles, Oct. 20,-To Shanghal: Mrs. Gregson, Mr. and Mrs. Stokes. Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Natal, from Marseilles, November 12th.-To Yokohama; Mr. G. Russell. To Hongkong: Mr. W. Boad,

Mrs. Boad. Per P. and O. steamer Himalaya, from London, October 6th, -To Yokohama via India Mr. C. Ward-Jackson, Mr. . ugill, Mr. Goodall, Mr. and Mrs. Holland and gentleman friend, Mr. J. W. Kopmann.

Per P. and O steamer Japan, from London, October 7th .- To Sharghal: Mr. and Mrs. Fisher and children, Miss Pickler, Miss Mellor, Miss Hodgson, Miss Spink, Mrs Owen and two children, Miss Hunt, Miss Hoskyn, Miss M. Clarke, Miss Fearo, Miss Angwin, Miss Rusby, Per P. and O. steamer Oceana, from London, Oct. 13.-To Yokohama: Miss Nacus, Mrs. Ricketts and 2 daughters, Mr. R. Porter. Shanghai: Mr. and Mrs. C. Rickman and child, Mr. A. A. Goodwin, Rev. R. Stunt and children, Mire Wylie, Miss Boulton, Miss McClenahan, to draw attention to a method by means of Miss Fryson, Miss Tarner, Rev. H. Constading, Rev. H. G. Warren, Rev. and Mrs. Turner and children, Miss Neilson, Miss Davies, Miss WE have it on the au hority, of a scientific Walker, Miss Roberts, Rev. rt. Dixon, Mr. Fleet, exchange that by most people perfames are looked . Mrs. Crawford and child. To Hongkong : Mr. upon as expensive luxuries, affering-enty a land Mrs. Phelps and children, Mrs. Coxon, Miss on imports of silver into India.

Per P. and O. steamer Rome, from London,

Per P. and O. steamer Oriental, from London,

Per P. and O. steamer Arcadia, from London,

... Per P, and O, steamer Thames, from London, November 16th .- To Yokohama : Dr. Johnston, Co'onel W. H. Samuel ; pla Bombay : Miss K.

G. Spooner, Mr. Waldy. For Hongkong : Mrs. Wilson, Misses Wilson (4), Master G. Wilson, Mrs. Robertson, Captain W. Hall Jackson, Mrs.

Cuthbert, Mrs. McNab and infant. Per Canadian Pacific steamer Embrass of Yokohama: Miss White, Mr. Brinkworth, Bishop of Japan and wife. To Shanghal: Rev. R. W. and Mrs. Stewart, Dr. E. Henderson. To Hongkong : Lieut G. T. Widdlcombe.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, September 20th. A battle, lasting for two days, has taken place between a large body of rebels and some loyalist forces at Santa Fé, the capital of a province of the same name on the cast bank of Rio Salado, Company, which engaged and defeated the Ma'a-In the Argentine Republic. The conflict. In which many lives were lost, ended in a victory for the Government troops.

October rut. The Government forces in the Argentine | the other columns are not yet known. Captain Republic are winning in all directions. The official aunouncement has been made that the to be amputated. No other casualties on our side rebellion has been virtually suppressed.

With reference to the forthcoming visit of a Russian flet to Toulon, the London Standard is responsible for the statement that France has granted to Russia permanent shelter for a naval squadron in the Mediterranean, with Incillies for coaling and making repairs, thus setting aside the Treaty of Paris, 18,6. At the same time it fusists that the Dardanelles shall be closed against the passage of some ironclads being built for Roumania at Hamburg. At the present time, adds the Standard, a large smallarms factory in France is engaged in making repeating rifles to the order of the Russian Government.

The Roman Catholic priests of St. George's Cathedral, Southwark, London, having incurred the ill-feeling of a certain section of the working classes by denouncing the ill effect produced by foreign labour agitators, received threatening letters, and on Sunday night a dynamite cartridge was thrown through the door into the congregation. Fortunately the cartridge was rendered harmless by the prompt removal of the Some time are two natives of this place, fuse. A punic arose in the congregation, but it was allayed by the calm presence of mind of the

The prospect of severe fighting between the Matabeles and the whites in Mashohaland increases. A Matabele impi, or regirgent, 7,000 strong, fired upon some scouts in the employ of the British South Africa Company near the settlement of Victoria. The warriors afterwards passed off in a north-easterly direction. Sir H. B. loch, the British High Commissioner in South Africa, has authorized Dr. Jamieson, the administrator for the Company in Mashonaland, to send out a strong contingent to reconneitre. It transpires that Mashonaland is menaced from lour points by the Matabeles, and that there are 2,000 men available for meeting attacks at these points, Further correspondence has taken place upon

Sulphur Springs and I believe the contract is Acting Agent-General, to the Lords of the Admiralty against the sending of an unarmouted vessel like the Bonaventure-1 twin-screw craiser of the second class—to take the place of a stronger superior to ships of the stamp of the Orlando ia type, or to commission the Astrona, a second

Toulon, October with, ... Admiral Avellan, commanding the Rustian of law by being behind time and keeping the Squadron, landed here to-day and received a court waiting. He may be only a f. w minutes perfect ovation in the streets. He was afterwards | late at luncheon, but he need not be surprised if most cordially toxsted.

LONDON, October 12th. Rowland Farsar. LONDON October 14th,

choleraic diarrhous at Greenwich Workhouse. far there have been two deaths.

and Afghans in Darway October 16th.

wages and paralysing trade. Several Members from nine platforms."

CAPETOWN, October 6th. 50 picked Volunteers from the West Riding are going to Mafeking for temporary enrolment in the Bechuana police and 150 picked Regulars from the Cape have been ordered to Tati. LONDON, O tober 17th

The Times says that, though the reception of the British squadron at Taranto is in no wise counterblast to the demonstration at Toulon; is useless to deny that England highly values the friendship of Italy. The Daily News deprecates a tax being levied

The price of coal is gradually felling to normal price owing to the resumption of work n some of the mines. Two hundred, cases and eight deaths have taken place at Greenwich workhouse. The outbreak is virtually admitted to be cholers.

PARIS, October Trib,

station, and the visitors were cheered continue. The duties are not onerous. A grand jurar has the use of such perfumes ought to be extend Per P. and O. steamer Victoria, from London, onely on their way through the city, which is only to saddly himself that the city aprima facle sively encouraged. Of one essential oil in Oct. 27 .- To Yokohama; Colonel H. J. Stock, splendidly decors ad in honour of the occasion. particular M. Chamberland, a disciple of Mrs, George. To Kobs : Miss Cochram, Miss The Russian naval officers from Toulon visited Pastene claims that no living germ of disease Sells, 'Miss Fugill. To Shanghai : Rev. A. the Elysée to-day, and were received with trans- the Judge, who has delive ed to the jury his can resist its antiseptic action for more than a few, Ronsey, Dr. R. Smyth, Mr. Hammond, Mr. ports of enthusiasm by the enormous crowd charge, marked "true bill," In the Buluwayo; their losses are slight. The Cape | Johore, whose advent | hours. This is the oil of cinnamon. Many of extended | Rev. and Mrs. T. W. | which surged round the visitors carriages, all latter event prisoners are promptly discharged. tures at Brighton are soon to engage the atten- volatile oils possess indiar properties. Lavender, Pearce and child, Rev. R. A. Mines, Miss Mary endeavouring to shake hands with them. M. This is a very different practice from the American. tion of the law courts, is a wealthy potentiale for pieventing moth, has been in use for years Miss A. M. Hothe, Miss A. M. Hothe, Miss A. M. Hothe, Miss A. M. Hothe, dwelt warmly on method of finding a prima facile case first, then to telegraph Lord Ripon that the Chartered who rules autocratically, yet with some sympathy in every household. Hucaippins is being recommended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first, then mended in every direction as better than chloride of finding a printer first fir

> LONDON, October Tithe toasted Admiral Seymour and his squadrou. ROME, October 18th

Signor Glolitti, the Itelian Premier, spenking

get. It was impossible, he said, to further reduc military expenses.

PARIS, October 18th. French and Russian newspapers agree in insisting on the purely peaceful character of the Japan, from Vancouver, November 13th .- To demonstrations at Paris, and the Parisians are studiously eschewing anything that would give offence to foreigners during the Russian visit.

LONDON, October 19th, Lord Randolph Churchill, in a speech at Bedford, raid the Nationalists would never consent to the Home Rule Bill being shelved until next year, and that the Unionists would also resent such tactics.

CAPE TOWN October 20th. Letest advices regarding the Matabele rising state that it was the Fort Victoria and Fort Sallsbury columns, belonging to the Chartered beles near Indiames Mountain on the 16th inst. The column from Fort Charter actively co-operated: The Victoria column killed one hundred Matabeles, but their losses sustained at the hands of Campbell was shot in the leg, and the limb had are reported. Campbell, has since died. The deceased formerly belonged to the Royal

VIENNA, October 20th. The Austrian Government will withdraw or modify its Suffrage Bill owing to the violent opposition of two-thirds of the Roichsrath, LONDON, October 21st. The British Mediterranean Squadron left

JURIES AND THEIR VERDICTS.

Taranto yesterday for Spezzia, after most friendly

farewells had been exchanged.

THE ENGLISH SYSTEM IN CIVIL AND CRIMINAL

The lot of jurous the wide world over is one to be pitled in these days of rush and excitement and intense application to business. A juror does his duty to his country and society by appearing in the box and giving his verdirt, but as a rule he would much rather avoid the responsibility and the worry, and often would be glad to pay a large bounty for a subultute. Especially is his aversion great to a criminal case, where the life or the liberty of a fellow human being is in his keeping. But the law in the United States and Great Britain, to which this article mainly relater, takes no account of substitutes. The person summoned must obey, unless he can give a valid excuse or is challenged or ordered to retire, and the penalties may be sufficiently heavy to enforce obtdience, however reluctantly complied with. This is as it should

be, for there ought to be no favoritism in justice. In England there are special and common jarors at assize and nist prius sittings ; there are also common jurors for quarter sessions and County Court cases ; and Coroners must summon jurors for inquests. Grand juries are summoned in England only for criminal cases; in Ireland they have also a considerable amount of administrative wark to perform. Scotland knows nothing about either grand juries or Coroners and their juries. The northern part of the kingdom has, in short, a jurisprudence of its own, and happily no other people but the Scotch are required to understand the principles of multiple vessel such as the Orlando The Lords of the poloding. Sawney has a hard head, specially fitted Admiralty adhere to the spirit of their first reply for the feat. A Grand July, be it at the Central Sulphur Baths on payment of a small amount to Sir Andrew Clarke. They declare that they Criminal Court in London or at assizes, in for each visit. I am told that the baths are as consider that the Bonaventure type of vessel is the provinces, is always drawn from the upper case under any circumstances r perhaps the The steamship Casi still runs on the Tamsul- guns, steam-power, and hanciness for service as safest guide to a comprehension of its tenor is to same time they are willing to recommission the queptly verdicts are given in the box without Orlando, to send a vessel of the same retiring. When a jury retires it is given in charge to a bailiff, who takes an oath to keep the jurora, class twin-screw cruiser. Independent opinion in custody and debarred from any communication has been sought, and it confirms the contention with the outer world until they return to court as to the suitability of the Astraa to supersede with their verdict. If they cannot agree a reasonable time passes and they are discharged. .Woe he to the jurer who offends the majesty

> received by the Mayor, when cordial speeches a fire of £10 or £20 is imposed, with a sharp were made dwelling on the union of France and lecture on the hemousness of being derelict in Russia. The enthusiasm at the banquet in the | duty. The Judge is possibly a great sinner evening was unbounded and the guests were, himself in the matter of coming to court punctually, but his bad example is not to be infections. Thus to smite the constitutional The death is announced of Lieutenant-General palladium of liverty with this severity is manifestly harsh treatment in some instances. and if proper representations are made the There has been a severe outbreak of er idemic Judge refents and remirs the fine. Why a system of substitutes for unwilling jurors should 150 of the inmates have been attacked, and so, not be allowed is not easy to explain. There are men who would gladly pay £50 a day to be The Times' Simia correspondent telegraphs | released from service, but they are quite helpthat reports have reached there of a serious less, as the law is no invidious respecter of collision having taken place between Cossacks | persons. The dreary hours a walting juror passes in court or out of it are inexpressibly irksome. If he knew just when he would to A meeting was held in Hydo Park yesterday needed a juror might dispose of his time proat which upwards of 20,000 were present, fitably, but if he ventures upon the experiment Resolutions were passed condemning the mine without knowledge the chances are good that owners for defrauding the miners of their just he will be caught in a tran, on the principle that; the unexpected bappens in affairs of the law. of Parliament and others addressed the meeting i tie may no sooner have turned his back on the lawyers than a jury retires fo' consultation, a fresh. july is called, and his name may be on the list. To avert the predicament he must kick his heels about in the putlieus of the court within hearing distance. A joror has no reward but his own conscience. If lecked up for the night in a murder case, he has ford and lodging provided, and the companionship of his fellows, with whom he may play a game of billiards or a game of cards, but to whem he is popularly sup; eacd not to speak on the subject that has drawn them together. The admonition to this effect elven by the Judge is a wholesome advice against forming opinions prematurely, but allowance has to be made for loquacity, and jurous need not be blamed if, wi hout the benefit of the Judge's 'charge, they exchange views' to what is upper-

most in their thoughts If rately happens that a juror is engaged in any one case longer than a week. A fortnight of wranging "over a case is very rare. They, must all have some recognized status Admiral Aveilan and the officers of the or stike in the district from which they Russian squadron at Toulon arrived here to-day, are summoned. It is an henor to selve on a tute the basis of all periumes, possess powerful Per P. and O. steamer Carthage, from London, and met with a magnificent reception. Fully Grand Jury—a sign, that you are somebody of one hundred thousand people were at the railway consequence, and social alms may be assisted. case and the indictments, after the examination Sp clat favors are drawn from among the pore, He has settled the option question to his affections From cleatific experiments ablate the legion of Hondur, and also It does not follow that their morality is high er or their ed-cation deeper then that of their follows who are not so well-to-do in the world. The feting of the British squadron at Taranto It is the English way of recognising the superior continues unabated. At a grand banquet given worthiness of min who have succeeded in life. on board the Italia, Admiral Turi warmly They are resom deto, by clearer in the head. and more independent than the common householder, who possibly keeps a small green grocer's shop or is a journeyman hatter. Special jurora

at Dronero to-day, announced an increase in the are only required in civil cases, and each time pore, and a three handred ton steam yacht, gather so carries four as would be difficult in trace book this selection to Per Glen Line Glengarry, from London, Sept.

Which is invariously fornished and carries four would be difficult in trace book this selection to This would increase the revenues, he said.

This remaineration distinguishes the succession duties and income tru; and the they are sworn they receive a goines for their 24th.—For Shanghal : Mice Batterson, Mr. W. by forty million lies, thereby balancing the bad. I special from the common stror, the latter being

country-a somewhat unsatisfactory reward if a | the death penal y should not be carried out, at man be poor and has been a week or two in least immediately. To take two lives where attendance upon justice. But when he has one only is forfeit is too Dracor ian to contemserved one term at assize or sessions the common plate. Should a child be born, the life of the juror is thereafter for a long period exempt from mother is usually spared, but that is a matter summons, and even if he were not the probabill- not resting with the judge but with the crown. ties of his being drawn a second time are remote. The jury system has fault- in all countries, but administered in England there are very few of justice. There is a tendency to bring it into challer ges, either peremptory or for cause. Old disrepute and certainly rid cute, however, when men at the bar may not have seen so many as It is necessary to have ventices of tundreds in a dozen jurars abj cied to by counsel on either order to we dout twelve e lgible and acceptable. side. It is rare, indeed, to find a juror objected to in any case of crime less in degree than murder, and even a score of murder cases may be tried without the limited' right of challenge

allowed being resorted to. Such .a thing as spending weeks in impanelling a jury is utterly unknown. Generally specking, a jury is obtained and sworn within five minutes. Should it be lished hard-book on "poker" :- "I remember believed that there is any strong prejudice against one night," Mr. Hermann relates, "that in a prisoner in his own district a change of venue | order to amuse a few friends I sat down to a is granted, and then justice is satisfied without | quiet little game of paker. You see it was this fear or favor.

been the subject of ridicule and merriment, but at the worst their blunders are only attributable | pression as a pound of putty. This you h had to stupidity or to the pertinacious obstinacy of been bragging of his powers, as a paker player, headstrong, opir ionative members, naturally and had made the others so tired that they disposed to take the opposite or weak side in any controversy. Charges of corruption or of intentional determination to befriend or injure a prisoner at all hazards are rarely heard of. They | we began the game I allowed the youngster to It has nothing to fear in giving its verdict, for | course I was to give him back whatever I won the names are rarely published, and if they were from him. That was understood. Every time they would be unknown to the great mass of my callow friend won a pot he put the money in people. The bribing or successful influencing | bis pocket, and would chip in the stuff as he of jurous in any manner is practically unknown. ne ded it. After he had won a respectable pile If any one were to talk to a jaror about a case in I began to get my work in, and by handling and which he is engaged it is quite certain he would | dealing the cards in my own peculiar way I soon be very severely dealt with for contempt of court. had his ple in a fair way to innocuous In civil cases there have been a few instances of | desuctude. foolish attempts to prime a juror out at luncheon ! "Occisionally I would let him win, just to with opinions that should not be uttered in his keep the fun up; and I don't know but what I presence. The persons who are thus guilty of erjoyed my opponent's innecence as much as gross ind corum, if reported, find out to their | did my f iends. But all things must have an cost what a Judge can do to repress these indis- | end. Finally I cleaned him out, much to his cretions. The oath which a juror takes in trying | surprise ; and then my friends really could not a person is quaint, but very precise: "You shall keep it any longer. well and truly try and tree deliverance make | "I say, old man, said " do you know who between our sovereign lady, the Queen, and the | you've been playin, with? prisoner at the bar whom you shall have incharge, and a true verd ct give according to the the magi lan; and he's a good player." evidence, so help you God."

note-taking. They listen to the evidence with as I had won. He wouldn't take it. No! sir. much attention and analytical acumen as they | Had he won mine he would have kept are capable of exerting, and that is sufficient. It, and under no consideration would be take There are always a few sharp heads on a | It back. That was not his way of playing jury, and silently and submissively the duller poker. It was of no use for me to protest, to tell. heads take their conclusio; a from them ready | him I had deliberately robbed him. made. The jury are swayed alternately by the addresses of counsel, and naturally the ablest Judge, who endeavors to sum up impartially, and | victim, and with a dignified bow he left us, arrangement sent to arbitration, and so the juror is spared the infliction. Not so the litigants, | uncertain." who generally find arbitration proceedings twice as tedious and far more costly than if they had been dealt with in court. The famous Tichborne case in its two phases of claim and prosecution for perjury must have tried the jurors' patience severely. They were pold, it is true, by arrangement between the parties, but hevertheless they must have felt their enforced attendance in court | 438. a species of imprisonment wearing short their lives. The present Lord Chief Justice of England made in opposing the claim an opening speech which lasted thirty-three days, Nor was it prolix or freelevant, but a model of orderly cegency and lucidity, so much so that it convinced the jury, who announced that their minds were made up, and thus nest upon the claimant the severse of electing to be nonsulted. Turors who have to spend several months over a case are martyrs to the judicial system. In such extreme instances they are probably released for life from further service, and they deserve their emancing,

The mode of Imp nelling a lury in England impresses the average American as simplicity itself in the sense of taking every juror as bonest, capable and unbiased. Before either Judge or counsel arrive in the morning the Judge's assoclate opens a little box filled with alips of paper and calls out, "Gentlemen of the common (or special) jury, come fito the box as your names are called." The jurges respond with "Here I' and one by one take their seats until the requisite twelve are assembled. Wien the Judge enters and a case is ready the jurous are sworn, and they may sit in judgment on causes or crimes throughout the day un'ess differences of conviction compal them to re its for consultation, when another jury is obtained. Tous do the wheels building the temple of Diana at Ephesus. of justice revolve constantly if slowly. An aversion akin to horror is entertained

against serving on a Coroner's jury, but as the Coroner's effice is a very ancient institution and very important withal, it must be sustained in all its dignity. A Coroner's quest jury may be more but not less than twelve. Coroners have the privilege of being in the position to pay furors is triffe, but it is only a triffe, and indeed so contemptible when viewed in the palm of the individual that frequently the honest twelve hand their doles over to some charity, which is | 220 high. not greatly enriched thereby.

Some men there are, however, so very needy that the Coroner's sixpence or eightpence is a | peo:le. welcome addition to their scanty income. provide , them at least with their beer and tobacco, an avenue, guarded by a row of sphinxes on each | tinged with blue. - Globe-Democrat. and as inquests are nearly always held in public- | side. houses or mas, the thirsty have not far to go for The Chinese pagode is a development of the refreshment. At Newcastle-on-Tyne the custom | pointed tent; the Egyptian temple of the cave prevails of liaving one set of jurors for duty dwelling. at Coroners' inquests. It is not obligatory | Nineveh was fifteen miles by nine, the walls to silect the rame men, but the same men are ! 100 feet high and thick enough for three charlets genterally selected because they are on the spot | to drive abreast. or within call when wanted, and Coroners as The excavated temples near Bombay in India. Including many unsolicited testimonials and men of basiness do not want to waste time. | would require the labor of 40,000 men for forty There are advantages in the system, for long | years to complete. experience of the manner in which people come | The Processons were for several centuries by their death suddenly enables them to arrive during the Middle Ages the sole architects and at consclusions by short cuts, and the Coroner is | builders of church edifices. saved the trouble of summing up at any length . There were over 100 colossal statues in the to main whose experience in such matters is as City of Rhode, beside the great bronze image profound as his own, leaving legal technicalities | that bestrode the harbor. out () the question. Were tempering with Several of the Astec pyramids exceed 300 fest larous to be feared, this system-could not con- in height. They are generally composed of a tinue, but thus far it has not resulted in harm, mound of earth faced with stone." Perhaps more depressing than the fate of the The Cathedral of Rheims, the earliest example Cororier's twelve is the experience of County of Gothic, was first built in 840, and recon-Court jurors. Less than twelve good men and i structed, in pure Gothic in 1280. true a re needed for a verdict before these trib- The pyramid of Cholula stands on a base ago tinalit, but while waiting to be called they pass yards each way ; it was 180 feet high and conhours in a stifling atmosphere in which all the tained 7,000,000 cubic yards of earth.

represented. In England they hang women as well as men | under the labors of Brunelleschi and others. when they are found guilty of murder not admit- Sesostris, placed in the temple of Memphis ting of condonation. It occasionally happens | coloseal figures of himself and wile each to feet

only entitled to the thanks of the Judge and the a delicate question put forward as a reason why It is remarkable that as justice is now it is a benefi-fal bulwark in the administration -San Prancisco Call.

A GUILELESS YOUTH.

The following capital story is told by Hermann, the famous conjuror, in a recently pubway. I met some friends, and was introduced The vagarles of British Juries have at all times | to an innocent-looking youth of the masher persuasion, whose face was as vacant in exwhispered me to take the conceit out of him for the fun there was in it.

" I was ready, and we sat down. Well, when could have little foundation in fact. A jury may | win; in order to get him interested, and the better be stupid and very much perplexed in arriving to enjoy the circus the others dropped out, and tions. at a unanimous verdict, but it is not dishonest, imy victim and I had the table to ourselves. Of

"Yes,' replied my victim, calmly, 'Hermann,

"This was somewhat of a surprise all round, As a rule jurgers'do not trouble themselves with | But I laughed, and handed him back the money

"He was sorry that he had got in with a man | silver. who didn't play a square game; but that was and most skilful speaker has a good chance of his look-out. He ought to have seen that he may be seen in the modern effice building new making the deepest impression. It is, however, | was being fleeced; but as he had been fleeced, so popular in most of the large cities in America. on the evidence that verdicis should be given, and with his eyes open too, he was not the man and in arriving at a just decision on the tortuous | to squeal. I tell you I felt mean. I didn't think | elegance, and is at once a model of con and confusing admissions and qualifications of | it half so funny then as I did before. But all I witnesses material assistance is given by the could do or say made no impression on my is sure to demelish any fallacies set up by "All I can do, I said to one of my friends, counsel. The defect of the system is that too | will be to give this money to some charitable | are 60 feet long, 24 thick and 16 broad, each often a jury sees its way to a verdict from what Institution." Then I gave the wai er one of the stone weighing over 2,500 tons, all cut, dressed the Judge says, and does not sift the evidence | coins I had wen to pay fir some wine. He pro and con for itself. But would matters not | came back with it and the information that it be worse if the evidence were pitchforked at the | was a counterfeit. Yes, sir, that guildless youth | Albambra, in Spain. It was originally a fortress, jury without a word of comment, however had won my good coin, and rung in over £20 | so great in extent as to be capable of holding reasonable and non-partisan? A stupid jury is of money on me that wasn't worth a half-penny | 40,000 men. It was I egun in 1748 and finished unable to analyze the evidence of a complicated a pound. I'm pretty good at handling cards, in 1314. It contains numerous halls and courts, but poker is a mighty uncertain game-mighty all decorated in the highest style of Moorish art.

ARCHITECTURE IN ALL AGES.

" Solomon's Temple was begun B.C. 1,004. Obelisks were probably the first monuments. | accommodate 100,000 spectators. The Parthenon at Athens was finished B.C.

The pyramids of Egypt were begun about | modern times are of German origin.

begun A.D. 617. The Darie order of architecture was begun

about B.C. 6go. St. Paul's London, was begun in 1675 and finished in 1710. St. Peter's at Rome was begun in 1450 and

inished in 1626. The Romans had no hinges; all their doors turned on pivote.

The louic o der came into fashion among the Greeks B.C. too. The favorite building materials among the Assyrians were sun-dried bricks.

Many of the leading Government buildings at Washington are in the Greek style. Over 2 000 obelisks, in position or failen, are sections of the metropolis were supplied with known to exist in various parts of Egypt.

The Church, now the Morge, of St. Sophie, at Constantinople, was begun A.1/. 532; Over 400 triumphal accoes were built by the Romans, twenty-one in the city of Rome, Pliny says that 400 years were spent in

a stone 42 feet broad and 240 long. idea of the foliated capital from the Egyptians.

Olympus, It was 370 feet long, 60 broad and | diamesor and 180 feet high. The extreme length

trees which formed the original shelter of that | The architecture is of the Coninthian order, the

o lors of an old clo' or junk shop are sickeningly The Renaissance style began to prevail in Italy in the early part of the Fifteenth century, IL LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS! that I jury of women is impanalled to decide upon | high, and each of his children sa fest,

Chimneys were unknown to the ancients, and are not mentioned by any Greek or Roman architect. A hole in the roof let out the smoke. The Greek style of building, medified to modern needs, has been most successfully used

in Paris, where many palaces are seen of this cor struction. The greatest domes in the world are those of St. Peter's, St. Paul's, the Invalides, in Paris; St. Isaar's, in St. Petersburg, and the Capitol,

in Washington. The largest of the pyramids is 543 feet high and 603 feet on the sides; its base covers eleven acres. Many of the stones are 30 feet long, 4 broad and 3 thick.

A leading feature of Roman architecture was the bath-house. Of the e there were 856 public in Rome, fil y' of which could accommedate

1,800 bathers at the same time. The palace of the Kings of Babylon may still be easily traced. It is a wast mound 700 yards square. The walls were 8 feet thick and

strengthened with buttresses.

of palaces belonging to the Sultan. It is triangle three miles around, and contains over ICO buldings, some of great splendour. Solomon's Temple was 107 feet long, 36 feet broad and 54 feet high. Though deemed a wonder of the world it was not larger than many

The Seraglio, at Constantinople, is a group

private houses of the present time, . The Temple of Diana, at Ept caus, was 425 feet long, 225 broad, and with statues and columns innumerable. Of this magnificent structure not a tracelremains, even of the founda-

Our lack of knowledge of the architecture of HE Steamship the Phoenicans, Hebrews and other Oriental nations is due partly to the fact that they used

wood and other perish ble materials in building, Carthage was forty-five miles in circumference, situated on a peninsula. On the land side there were tilple walls, guarded by towers so large that the basement of each contained stalls for 300 elephants.

The city of Banian, in Great Buchsrie, is cut in the side of a mountain. There are 12,000 artificial caves, some very large, and two statues, one 90, the other 20 feet high, each hewn from a

The Tower of Babel, at Babylon, was composed of eight square towers, one upon the other, the pile being 660 feet high. Babylon was a square, fifteen miles on each side, the walls 87 feet thick and 370 feet bigh. The wall of Severus, separating England from

Scotland, was thirty-six miles long and guarded by twenty-one forts. It was 20 feet high and 24 feet thick, and to the north was protected by a most 40 feet wide and 20 feet deep. The po celain pigoda in China had nine stories of the combl. ed height of 266 fort, and

the pinnacle was 148 feet above the highest story. It derived its name from being covered with plates of percelain. It cost 2,485 484 ounces of The distinctive form of American architecture

It combines in the highest degree utility with venience and brauty. The best examples of Cyclopean buildings are are at Builbec. There are stones in the Baalbec.

walls 30 feet shove the level, several of which and brought from distant quarries. The most curious palace in the world is the

The largest single structure in the world for audience and spectacular purposes is the Coll-

seum at Rome. It is in the form of an ellipse; its long diameter is 615 leet, its short 510, the height of the outer wall 164. The arena is 281 feet long by 176 broad. The tlers of seats Eastern roofs are generally flat, for comfort

during the summer season. The roofs of houses The Corinthian order began to appear B.C. In the East are of en used as cutdoor gardens. The Greeks gave the roof a slight elevation in The church spire originated in the Twelfth | the middle; the Remans increased it to onefifth of the span. The birb pointed roofs of

The State Capitol of Trais is the largest State The Mosque of Omar, at Jerusalem, was building in the United States and the seventh in size among the buildings of the world. It is a vast Greek cross of red Texas granite, with a central rotunda covered by a dome 312 feet high. It was begun in 1881 and finished in 1888, having cost about \$3 500,000. It was paid for with 3 000,000 acres of public land, deeded to the Gapitalists who executed the work,

The Roman sou dects were marvels of architecture. The Anio was forty-three miles long; the Martin forty-one, of which thirty-eight miles were on 7,000 sreades 70 feet high. The Claudia was forty-seven miles long, the arches 100 feet high, The Roman aqueducts brought 40,000,000 cubic feet of water d ily into the city, and the various

water by r ,50s pipes. The United States Capitol at Washington is one of the most majestic buildings in the world It was first begun in 1793 when the north wing Hongkong and the Coast Ports, for their kind was founded. This was finished in 1800, and | patronage and support, and desires to state that the sou h wing was begun in 1811. The build- she will be pleased to receive orders for all ing was burned by the British in 1814, and re- kinds of NEEDLE WORK. Besostrie brought from the mountains of Arabia | building did not begin until 1817. In 1851 the new ex evalor began, the House of Representati and Collars renewed on old ones. The Greeks are believed to have borrowed the | tives first occupying its present hall in 1857, the Sentate its present quarters in 1859. The doma Children's Drosses, and all kinds of Embroidery, Roman architecture differed from that of was constructed herween 1856 and 1865. The Materials can be supplied, if required. Greece in its luxuriousness rather than elegance. | cost of the building has exceeded \$30,000,000. superfor delties were always uncovered or open | contains 4,000 tons of iron, arranged to move during atmospheric changes like the unfolding are taught by the Sisters. The largest Greek temple was that of Jupiter of a lily. The rotunda beneath is of feet in | -- Heekbag hatel April, 1804. of the building is 751 feet; extreme breadth, Greek architecture was based on the bower of | 324. It covers \$53,1'3 square feet of ground. material of the central structures yellowish sand-Egyptian temples were usually approached by stone painted white; of the wiegs, white marble,

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Hongkong, 3rd November, 1893. PUBLIC AUCTION the two the being BY at

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MAILS EXPECTED.

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

ultimo fer Yokohame, Kobe, Nagasaki, Shang- L. Nicholson, A. E. Parker, Menchin, L. Duncat, bal and Hongkong, and may be expected here E. H. Escott, Revs. G. F. Pollem and E. P. about the 8th instant.

THE AMERICAN MAILS Yokobama on the god instant, at daylight, and dist .- Mr. A. Beith and native servant. may be expected here on the 7th.

this port via Yokohama, on the 19th ultimo.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The D. D. R. steamer Oceana, from Hamburg, left Singapore on the 28th ultime, and Major R. H. Twigg, Mr. J. S. Levy, and 395 may be expected here to-morrow. The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Palamed and is expected here on the 4th instant.

The 'Glea' line steamer Glengarry left Sin gapore on the 30th ultime, and may be expected here on the 5th instant. The Heung Sing Steamboat Co's steamer Propontis left Samarang on the afternoon of the

and justant, and is expected here on the 11th. CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL

REGISTER. 2nd November, 1893 .- At 4 p.m. ETATION.

lictoria Peak Cape St. James 19.91 3rd November, 1893.-At 10 a.m.

MOITATE. Wladirostock... 85 NNE 10.50 Nagasaki 30.18 84 NNW 10.51 Swaren attentioner Hongkone 30, 24 ctoria Peak Gap Rock Halphong Bolines 99.97

and, 10.30 a.m. Barometer steady, Gradients rather steet for north-east winds. Sea moderate. Weather fine. hundredths, a—Temperature is the shade in degrees, Fahrenheit, y—Humidity in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being you. 4—Direction of the wind to two points.

5.—Force of the wind seconding to Braufort scale, 6—State of the weather, 5 Blue sky, 2 Detached clouds, & Drizzling rain, / Fog. & Gloomy, & Hall, I Lightning, a Overrant, & Passing showers, & Squally, & Rain, a Snow, & Thursday, & Visibility, as Daw week, y-Rain in inches, tenths and hundredths.

F C. Pigo, First Amistant, Hongkong Observatory, 3rd November, 1803.

Philipping.

ARRIVALS.

OXUS, French steamer, 1,829, Dupont, 2nd Nov., -Marseilles 1. Oct., Alexandria 3rd, Port Said 5th, Suez 6th, Aden 12th, Colombo 17th, Singapore 24th, and Salgon 28th, Mails and General -Messagerles Maritimes. STURA, Italian steamer, 1,416, A. Seresti, and Nov.,-Singapore 25th Ort., General.-

Carlos i'z & Co. Loo Sok, British steamer, 1,020, A. Benson, 2nd Nov. - Bangkok zath Oct., and Anghing 26th, General .- Yuen Fat Hong. CATHERINE APCAR, British steamer, 1,733. J.

G. Ollfent, 3rd Nov .. - Calcutta: 17th Oct., Penang 24th, and Singapore 27th, Opium and General -D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. RAVENNA. British steamer, 1915. G.; W. F Browne, R.N.R., 3rd Nov., Bombay 18th Oct., and Singapore 28th, Mails and

General.—P. & O. S. N. Co. HAILOONG, British steamer, 783, J. S. Roach, 3rd Nov.,-Tamsui 31st Oct., Amoy 1st Nov., and Swatow and, General .- D. Lapraik & Co.

HAIPHONG, French sleamer, 876, H. Galetti, 3rd Nov.,-Haiphong 1st Nov., General,-Messagerles Maritimes. ACTIV. Danish steamer, 355, H. Hygom, 3rd

Nov.,-Pakhol 31st Oct., and Holhow and Nov., General and Pigs.-Nam Tal. K.WANGLEE, Chinese steamer, 1,504, Lincoln, 3rd Nov.,- hanghai 31st Oct., General .-C. M. S. N. Co.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Hesparia, German ateamer, for Salgon, Hongkong, French steamer, for Holhow, Elisabeth Ahrens, German bark, for Singenore. Carradale British steamer, for Nagasaki, &c. Avochie, British steamer, for Salgon. Cardiganshire, British str., for Singapore, &c.

DEPARTURES November 3, Macduff, British steamer, for Kut-

November 3. Carradale, British steamer, for TAILEE, German steamer, 828, J. Calender, 28th Nagataki, &c. November 3, Hesperia, German stre for Salgon.

November 3. Oxus, French str., for Shanghal. November 3: Orestes, British steamer, for Yokohama &c.

November 3, Kwelyang, Beltish steamer, for November 3, Triumph, German steamer, for

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED Per Oxus, str., from Marseilles for Pougkong, .- Messes. Chantrey Inchbald, St. C. Penot, G. S. Rivers, and H. Kauffmann. From Singapore. -Mrs. Hoo Seng. Messrs, Taylor and Sou Yik. From Seigen.-Mr. Le Myre de Vilers (French Minister), and servant, Messrs, Le Myre de Vilers Jr., Thleng, Slater, Toreigi, and 357 Chinese, From Marseilles for Shanghat ... My. BARUTO German bark, 348, H. Eggers, 141 Hiss (French Consul) and son, Messre, Lament Mollet, Mousse, Plauchais, Danie, Gauthier, Pret, Bormet, Robefroy, Crast, Labuede, Ugo Rossi, and Emilo Ghislagen. From Singspore. -Mr. and Mrs. Tanaki, and Mrs. Ayonki. From ELIZABETH AHRENE, Garman berk, 307. T. Saigon, Messie, Madon, Coades, Lebian, La Calanger Lagadone, Steiner, and Rault. From Singapore, for Kobe,-Meiere. Sakai, Aube. F. SKOLFIELD, British ship, 1,021, W. E. Sher-Lamberti, Deurs, David, and Mone, From Marseilles for Yok hama .- Mr. and Mrs. Riblodon, Takayanna, Sakuray, and Mugature. From Slogspore,-Messrs. Konig and Imas Kar From Salgon.-Mr. and Mrs. Licianra; Messrs. Archire, Yamade, Launarte, Arnel, Le Bay, and

Per Ravenna, from London for Hongkong. Mrs. and Misses Boyes (2), Miss L. Atherly, Mesers. L. C. Hopkins, F, H. Firth, Juffurtis, Dodson, and Lieut. P. G. Davis From Brindist. -Messry, C. L. Anderson and All B. Johnson. From Singapore -IB Chinese. From London The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer for Shanghal.-Rev. and Mrs. Watson and 3 Empress of India left Vancouver on the 17th | chi dren, Mrs. Shearer and 2 children, Misses Nam Shun Sing, Chinese 3-m. sch., 368, Lok Godye. From Briedisi .- Mr. J. R. Michael, & From Penang .- Mr. J. N. ser and servant. From The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steatner Oceanic, with Singapore.-Mr. C. Miller. From London for the American mail of the toth ultimo, leaves Yokohama, -Mr. W. de Haveland, From Briss Per Stura, from Singapore.-- Mr. Sers, and

and 199 Chinese,

Per Harokows, from Haiphong. -40 Chinese.

Per Activatrom Pakhol, &c .- 25 Chinese. Per Oxes, for Shanghai from Hongkong .-Mrs. d'Assumpçao and 2 children, Rev. Father Hendes, Messrs. A. Gonsalves and A. Soares.

REPORTS.

For Yokohams,-Mr. Julio Benavides.

The Danish steamship Activ reports that she left Pakhoi on the 31st ultimo, and Helhow on the and instant. Had moderate to fresh breeze with clear weather and sea from north-eastward. The British steamship Catherine Apcar reports that she left Calcutta on the 17th ultime, Penang on the 24th, and Singapore on the 27th.

After leaving Singapore experienced strong north-west and northerly winds with heavy cross sea to lat. 140 north; thence to port had fresh north-east monsoon. The British steamship Loo Solt reports that she left Bangkok on the 24th ultimo, and Ang-hing on the 26th. Had light winds and fine weather down the Gulf of Siam, and to Cape

Padaran; thence to port had moderate north-east

monsoen with heavy north-north-cast sea and clear weather. The British steamship Halloong reports that she left Tamsul on the 31st ultime, Amoy on the 1st instant, and Swatow on the 2nd. From Tamsul to Amoy and Swatow had moderate northeast winds and following sea with fine clear weather. From Swatow to port had strong east-north-east winds. In Tamsui the steamship Swith. In Amoy the steamships Woosung, Cass, Soochow, and Diamond. In Swatow the steamships Taksaug, Tamsul, and Cheang

Hock Klan, The British steamship Ravenna reports that she left Rombay on the 18th ultimo, and experienced-light westerly and south-westerly winds to Colombo on the 21st, Left Colombo on the gand at r s.m., and fell in with calms, broken by light variable winds and occasional showers of rain. Arrived in Penang on the 16th. Left again on the same day, and had frequent beavy squalls of wind and rain from the south-west. Arrived in Singapore. on the 28th. Left on the same day, and fell in with fresh north-east monsoon with occasional rain squalls and considerable head rea. Arrived in Hongkong this morning.

Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE-For Amoy and Manile. Per Esmerolda to-morrow, the 4th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Singapore and Penang .- Per Phra Chula Chow Kiao to-morrow, the 4th instant, at 11.30

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SHIPPING IN HONGKONG

STEAMERS. AVOCHIE, British steamer, 1,056, T. Rowin, 40th Oct ,-Bangkok 16th October, and Koh-sichang roth, Wood and Rice.-Melchers

CROMARTY, British steamer, 1,864, W. S. Duncan, 1st Nov.,-Panatoekan 22nd Oct., Sugar.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. SMERALDA, British steamer, 966, G. A. Tayler, 31st October,-Manila 28th Oct., General. -Shewan & Co.

HONGKONG, French steamer, 768, C. Bastran, 1st Nov.,-Haiphong 20th Oct., General.-A. R. Marty.

HUPEH, British steamer, 1,849, T. Quali, 1st Belgic (via Nagasaki, Thursday, 4th Jan., Nov.,—Pekalongan 28th Oct., Sugar.—But- Kobe, Inland Sca and Thursday, 4th Jan., terfield & Swire... KIKL, German steamer, 831, M. W. Krutzfeldt,

and Nov.,-Newchwang agrd October, and Chefoo 26th, Beans and General,-Melchers

KUTBANG, British str., 1,495, G. H. Bowker, 28th Oct.,-Calcutta 12th Oct. Penan 18th, and Singapore 22nd, Opium an General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. AORAY, British steamer, 1,411, Thomson, 29th Oct.,-Kulchinotzu 24th October, Coals.-

Dodwell, Carlill & Co. NANYANO, German steamer, 1,059, F. Schültz, and Nov.,-Canton and Nov., General,-Siemssen & Co.

PRIYANG, German steamer, 953, R. Kohler, 31st October,-Ceba 27th October, Sugar.-Siemssen & Co. PERU, American steamer, 2,540; D. E. Friele,

24th Oct.,-San Francisco 30th Sept., and Yekohama 19th October, Mails and General. --P. M. S. S. Co. November 3, Somall, British 4-masted ship, for PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British 'steamer

1,012, J. A. Morris, 31st Oct.,—Bangkok 22nd Oct., and Koh-si-chang 23rd, General. --- Yuen Fat Hong. Oct ..- Deli 19th Oct., and Singapore 20th, General -- Meyer & Co.

November 3, Cardiganshire, British steamer, TAI-vick, German steamer, 903. N. Emke, 24th Oct Bangkok 17th Oct., Rice .-Your Fat Hong,

TEHERAM British steamer 1,685 F. Cole, 26th Oct.,-Bombay 6th October, and Singapote 18th, General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. TOYO MARU, Japanese steamer, 1,148, T,

Kasuga, 27th Oct., -Kutchisotzu 22nd Oct.,

Coal,-Mitsul Bussan Kalsha. VICTORIA, British steamer, 1.991, John Panton, R.N.R., 2 d Nov .- Tacoma 3rd October Victoria, B.C., 14th, and Yokohama 24th, General.-Dodwell, Carlill & Co.

SAILING-VEREELS. ADOLPH, German, bark, 167, IL Westergaard, 21st Aug. Hamburg 22nd April, General,

-Siemssen & Co. Oct, -Amoy 4th Oct, Sugar - Wieler & Co. CENTENNIAL, American ship. 1,213, B. J. Colcord. bib Sept, Singapore 23rd August, Timber,

Alm, 5th Oct.,—Lientsin 21st. Sept., Besus.

man, 4th Oct. - Slogapore 13th Sapt. Timber .- Master. GEORGE STETSON, American bork, z,878, E. S. Marchy, 6th, August,-New York 12th Apri, Kerosene Oil Captilu.

OHN CURRIER, American ship, 1,848, R. S Lawrence, 4th Oct,-Shanghai aged Sept, Ballast,-Order. OHN R. KELLEY, American abp. 2,355, O. E. Chapman, 1st Sept ,- New Yo k gih May, Kerojene Oll .-- Master,

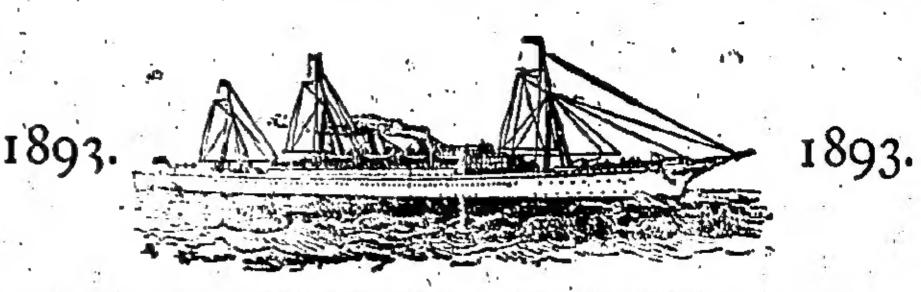
MARTHA BOCKHAHM, German ship, 726, Ed.

Man che stab Oct., Polledelphia arst May, Per leum.-Order. Li Tong, 3'd August,-Saigon 24th August, Wood.-Yong Kee & Ca. STANFIELD, British barges, 160, Clark, 13rd

Oct.,-Singspore 27th September, Timber,-Chinese. HERMOPYLE, Canadian bark, 948, J. R. Winches er, joth Oct.,-Astoria (Oregon) 16th Septer, Timber.-Captain, VELOCITY, British bank, 401, R. Martin, 14th Oct .-- Honolule 3'st August, General,---

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